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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the references listed on the attached PTO/SB/08. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

The references submitted in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement have previously been submitted before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits but were requested to be resubmitted by the Examiner in the Office Action mailed April 21, 2004. It is believed that Applicant is not required to resubmit the references pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98. However, Applicant is resubmitting the references for the Examiner's convenience and, therefore, no fee should be due for the resubmission of references previously submitted before the mailing date of a first Office Action (37 CFR 1.97(b)(3)).

A copy of each reference on the PTO/SB/08 is attached.

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It is submitted that the Information Disclosure Statement is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.98 and the Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the listed references.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 06-2380, under Order No. 49581/P023US/09906909.

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